COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.:</u> 4241-01 Bill No.: HB 1535

Subject: Taxation and Revenue - Sales and Use; Charities

Type: Original

Date: February 28, 2012

Bill Summary: This proposal would exempt from state sales and use taxes certain

business donations of tangible personal property held as inventory given to

a sales tax exempt organization.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
General Revenue	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
Conservation Commission	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	
Parks, and Soil and Water	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	
School District Trust	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

- □ Estimated Total Net Effect on All funds expected to exceed \$100,000 savings or (cost).
- Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund expected to exceed \$100,000 (cost).

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Local Government	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** assume many bills considered by the General Assembly include provisions allowing or requiring agencies to submit rules and regulations to implement the act. The SOS is provided with core funding to handle a certain amount of normal activity resulting from each year's legislative session. The fiscal impact for this fiscal note to the Secretary of State's Office for Administrative Rules is less than \$2,500. The SOS recognizes that this is a small amount and does not expect that additional funding would be required to meet these costs. However, we also recognize that many such bills may be passed by the General Assembly in a given year and that collectively the costs may be in excess of what our office can sustain with our core budget. Therefore, we reserve the right to request funding for the cost of supporting administrative rules requirements should the need arise based on a review of the finally approved bills signed by the governor.

Officials from the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** assume that this proposal would not have a fiscal impact to their organization in excess of existing resources.

Officials from the **Office of Administration, Division of Budget and Planning** (BAP), assume this proposal would not result in additional costs or savings for their organization.

BAP officials stated that this proposal would exempt from use tax all donations of inventoried tangible property transferred to tax exempt entities. Although BAP did not have an estimate of qualifying donations, BAP officials assume that General and Total State Revenues, and local revenues, would be reduced by an unknown amount.

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<u>ASSUMPTION</u> (continued)

Officials from the **Department of Revenue** (DOR) assume this proposal would have no fiscal impact on their organization but would Reduce Total State Revenue. DOR officials stated that currently, if a business purchases an item tax exempt as a purchase for resale and then donates the item to charity, the business must self assess the sales tax on the item based on the initial purchase price.

Oversight assumes this proposal would result in the exemption from use tax of certain transfers of inventoried personal property by a Missouri resident or business, to another entity which is exempt from sales tax. Oversight will assume for fiscal note purposes that this proposal would result in an unknown reduction in revenue to those state funds which receive sales tax revenues, and to local governments.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON CONSERVATION COMMISSION FUND	<u>(Unknown)</u>	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
<u>Revenue reduction</u> - use tax exemption	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
CONSERVATION COMMISSION FUND			
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
Revenue reduction - use tax exemption	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2013 (10 Mo.)	FY 2014	FY 2015

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PARKS, AND SOIL AND WATER FUNDS

Revenue reduction - use tax exemption	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON PARKS, AND SOIL AND WATER FUNDS	<u>(Unknown)</u>	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
SCHOOL DISTRICT TRUST FUND			
Revenue reduction - use tax exemption	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON SCHOOL DISTRICT TRUST FUND	<u>(Unknown)</u>	<u>(Unknown)</u>	(Unknown)
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	FY 2013 (10 Mo.)	FY 2014	FY 2015
<u>Revenue reduction</u> - use tax exemption	(Unknown)	(Unknown)	(Unknown)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	<u>(Unknown)</u>	(Unknown)	(Unknown)

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

This proposal would have a direct fiscal impact to a small business which made a qualifying donation.

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FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This proposal would exempt from state sales and use taxes certain business donations of tangible personal property held as inventory given to a sales tax exempt organization.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of the Secretary of State
Joint Committee on Administrative Rules
Office of Administration
Division of Budget and Planning
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